**Nikon D3100**

The Nikon d3100 is considered the “small” slr for the Nikon D series. Its image quality is up to par compared to other new slr’s. According to kenrockwell.com’s review of the camera’s video, the usage is for serious movie making and definitely more advanced than for making family movies. The Nikon D3100 is a great light weight SLR that shoots picture perfect images and movies scenes. Its compact body has a good dynamic range that transfers files smoothly but it has no body image stabilization built into its lens chamber.